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Practical INTRODUCTION  
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*Spelling and Reading*

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Adapted to mean Capacities.

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## The DEDICATION.

**I** Have experimentally discovered the Necessity of a Book digested in this Method: Because other Spelling-Books beginning with long Monosyllables, which are beyond the Capacity of, and too difficult for young Beginners, render the initiatory part of Learning bitter and unpleasant to them, and consequently the Teacher's Business so troublesome to him, that these Books, seeming very obscure, are generally too much neglected. For my own part, I have been always forced to teach the middle, or latter End of the Common Spelling-Books, before I could bring Children to a Capacity of learning the long Syllables in the former Part; and I commonly teach the long and difficult Monosyllables last of all. The Success that I have always found in this Method, was the chief Motive that induced me to undertake this Composure. I hope (with divine

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*Assistance) it will instruct the more ordinary Masters and Dames, take off (in a great Measure) the Fatigue of the more skilful Ones, render the Elements of Reading more pleasant and delightful to Children, and speedily encourage them to, and prepare them for further Rules and Instructions set forth in other Books of this Kind. That God may prosper this my Essay, and bleſs, guide, and direct us in the Use of this, and of all other Helps and Advantages conferred upon us, is the unfeigned Prayer of,*

Your Loving Brother,

**Thomas Crumpe.**

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## C H A P. I.

*The Alphabet of Twenty six Letters in various Characters, both Small and Great.*

A a	a	A a	Aa	A a	} The 5 Vowels
B b	bee	E e	E e	E e	
C c	cee	I i	I i	I i	
D d	dee	O o	O o	O o	
E e	e	U u	U u	U u	
F f	ef	B b	B b	B b	} The 8 Mutes.
G g	ghee	C c	C c	C c	
H h	ach	D d	D d	D d	
I i	i	F f	F f	F f	
J j	jee	G g	G g	G g	
K k	ca	K k	K k	K k	
L l	el	P p	P p	P p	
M m	em	T t	T t	T t	
N n	en	L l	L l	L l	} The 4 Liquids.
O o	o	M m	M m	M m	
P p	pee	N n	N n	N n	
Q q	cu	R r	R r	R r	
R r	er	J j	J j	J j	} The double Consonants.
S s	efs	Q q	Q q	Q q	
T t	tee	V v	V v	V v	
U u	u	X x	X x	X x	
V v	vee	Y y	Y y	Y y	
W w	wee	Z z	Z z	Z z	
X x	eks	H h	H h	H h	
Y y	wy	W w	W w	W w	
Z z	zee	S s	S s	S s	

cannot properly  
be reckoned  
either Mutes or  
Liquids.

A Table of easy Syllables for Children,  
knowing the Letters.

a	e	i	o	u	y
ba	be	bi	bo	bu	by
da	de	di	do	du	dy
ea	ee	ei	eo	eu	ey
fa	fe	fi	fo	fu	fy
ga	ge	gui	go	gu	guy
ha	he	hi	ho	hu	hy
ja	{ <sup>je</sup> <sub>ge</sub> }	gi	jo	ju	gy
ka	ke	ki	ko	ku	ky
la	le	li	lo	lu	ly
ma	me	mi	mo	mu	my
na	ne	ni	no	nu	ny
oa	oe	oi	oo	ou	oy
pa	pe	pi	po	pu	py
ra	re	ri	ro	ru	ry
sa	{ <sup>se</sup> <sub>fe</sub> }	{ <sup>ci</sup> <sub>fi</sub> }	so	su	{ <sup>cy</sup> <sub>fy</sub> }
ta	te	ti	to	tu	ty
va	ve	vi	vo	vu	vy
wa	we	wi	wo	—	wy
xa	xe	xi	xo	xu	xy
	ye	yi	yo	—	—
za	ze	zi	zo	zu	zy

# Syllables of two Letters.

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*These Syllables being perfectly learnt, may be applied to the easy Words following, according to this general Rule,*

When one Consonant comes between two Vowels in a primitive Word, it must be always join'd to the latter Vowel, as,

be	a-do	ma-ny	e-ne-m̃y	no-ta-ry
he	a-go	ma-ry	e-ve-ry	pa-ci-fy
me	a-ny	na-vy	eu-lo-gy	pa-pa-cy
se	be-ly	oi-ly	fa-mi-ly	pe-nu-ry
we	bc-dy	pi-ty	fe-lo-ny	pi-e-ty
ye	bu-ry	re-ly	fe-ru-la	po-li-cy
do	bu-fy	ru-by	fi-e-ry	po-pe-ry
fo	ci-ty	ve-ry	he-re-fy	pu-ri-fy
go	co-ny	wa-ry	ho-li-ly	pu-ri-ty
ho	co-py	wi-ly	ho-mi-ly	ra-ri-ty
lo	de-fy	a-go-ny	ho-ra-ry	re-me-dy
no	de-ny	a-mi-ty	i-de-a	sa-la-ry
fo	du-ly	bu-fi-ly	i-ro-ny	fi-mi-le
to	du-ry	co-lo-ny	i-vo-ry	va-ni-ty
by	ea-fy	co-me-dy	ju-bi-le	ve-ne-ry
dy	fu-ry	ci-vi-ly	le-ga-cy	ve-ri-fy
fy	ho-ly	de-i-ty	le-ni-ty	vi-li-fy
ly	Ju-ly	de-pu-ty	le-vi-ty	vo-ta-ry
my	Ju-ry	di-a-ry	me-lo-dy	un-ea-fy
py	la-dy	ea-fi-ly	me-mo-ry	un-ho-ly
ry	la-zy	e-bo-ny	mi-se-ry	u-ni-ty
ty	le-vy	e-di-fy	mo-li-fy	u-su-ry



wi-li-ly	fa-ci-li-ty	sy-no-ni-my
a-bi-li-ty	fe-ro-ci-ty	ve-ra-ci-ty
a-ci-di-ty	fi-de-li-ty	vi-va-ci-ty
a-na-lo-gy	hu-ma-ni-ty	a-ni-mo-fi-ty
a-na-ro-my	hu-mi-li-ty	cu-ri-o-fi-ty
a-po-lo-gy	Ja-ni-za-ry	ge-ne-a-lo-gy
ca-la-mi-ty	ma-tu-ri-ty	he-re-di-ta-ry
ca-pa-ci-ty	mi-li-ta-ry	li-be-ra-li-ty
ce-le-ri-ty	na-ti-vi-ty	re-po-si-to-ry
ce-re-mo-my	no-bi-li-ty	so-li-ta-ri-ty
ci-vi-li-ty	sa-ga-ci-ty	fa-mi-li-a-ri-ty
cu-pi-di-ty	sa-ti-e-ty	in-i-ti-a-to-ry
de-bi-li-ty	so-ci-e-ty	su-pe-ri-o-ri-ty
de-li-ca-cy	so-li-ta-ry	

'Tis to be noted, that a single Vowel in the Beginning of a Word, or following another Vowel in the middle of a Word, and having but one Consonant after it, makes a Syllable of it self, as, a-ny, u-ni-ty, e-ve-ry, pi-e-ty, cu-ri-o-fi-ty, in-i-ti-a-to-ry.

**O**UR Father which are in Heaven: Hal-  
lowed be thy Name: Thy Kingdom  
come. Thy Will be done in Earth, as it is  
in Heaven. Give us this Day our daily  
Bread. And forgive us our Trespases, as we  
forgive them that trespass against us. And  
lead us not into Temptation, but deliver us  
from Evil. For Thine is the Kingdom, the  
Power, and the Glory, for ever and ever.  
*Amen.*

# Syllables of two Letters.

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## CHAP. II. Sect. I.

*Another Table of easy Syllables to be habitually learnt.*

a	e	i	o	u
ab	eb	ib	ob	ub
ac	ec	ic	oc	uc
ad	ed	id	od	ud
af	ef	if	of	uf
ag	eg	ig	og	ug
ah	_____	_____	oh	_____
ai	ei	_____	oi	ui
ak	ek	ik	ok	uk
al	el	il	ol	ul
am	em	im	om	um
an	en	in	on	un
ap	ep	ip	op	up
ar	er	ir	or	ur
as	es	is	os	us
at	et	it	ot	ut
au	eu	_____	ou	_____
aw	ew	_____	ow	_____
ax	ex	ix	ox	ux
ay	ey	_____	oy	_____
az	ez	iz	oz	uz

*Word*

*Words wherein the Syllables in both Tables are applied, giving Examples in their last Syllable to this Rule.*

When two Vowels come together in a Word, not making a Diphthong, the first is put into the former, the second into the latter Syllable.

ad	di-ét	fi-li-al
ah	do-eg	he-ri-ét
am	do-er	i-di-ot
an	Le-ah.	le-gi-on
as	li-ar	ma-nu-al
at	li-er	mo-ti-on
aw	li-on	mu-tu-al
ax	No-ah	na-ti-on
ay	po-et	no-ti-on
eg	re-al	o-ce-an
it	ri-ot	o-ni-on
in	fu-et	o-pi-um
is	vi-al	o-fi-er
it	vi-ol	pi-ge-on
of	up-on	po-ti-on
oh	Zi-on	re-gi-on
on	Zo-an	se-ni-or
or	Zo-ar	sy-ri-an
ex	a-li-en	va-cu-um
up	a-mi-ty	va-lu-ed
us	be-li-ed	vi-fi-on
Bo-as	bu-ri-al	u-su-al
di-al	ca-ve-at	zo-di-ak
di-ed	de-fi-ed	ca-me-li-an
di-er	de-ni-ed	ce-le-ri-ty

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ci-vi-li-an  
 co-me-di-an  
 de-ci-fi-on  
 de-lu-fi-on  
 de-ri-fi-on  
 de-vo-ti-on  
 di-vi-fi-on  
 e-li-fi-um  
 e-va-fi-on  
 fa-mi-li-ar  
 me-mo-ri-al  
 mi-li-ta-ry  
 mu-ni-ti-on  
 mu-fi-ci-an  
 o-ra-ti-on  
 o-pi-ni-on  
 pa-ci-fi-ed  
 pa-vi-li-on  
 pe-cu-li-ar  
 pe-ti-ti-on  
 po-fi-ti-on  
 pu-ri-fi-ed  
 re-la-ti-on  
 re-li-gi-on  
 se-di-ti-on  
 ru-i-ti-on  
 va-ca-ti-on  
 ve-ne-re-al  
 ve-re-fi-ed  
 vo-ca-ti-on  
 ab-di-ca-ti-on  
 ad-o-ra-ti-on  
 ad-mi-ra-ti-on  
 ad-mo-ni-ti-on  
 a-du-la-ti-on  
 be-ne-fi-ci-al

ce-re-mo-ni-al  
 co-gi-ta-ti-on  
 co-pu-la-ti-on  
 co-ro-na-ti-on  
 de-fa-ma-ti-on  
 de-di-ca-ti-on  
 de-fi-ni-ti-on  
 de-so-la-ti-on  
 di-vi-na-ti-on  
 dc-mi-na-ti-on  
 e-mu-la-ti-on  
 e-du-ca-ti-on  
 ex-e-cu-ti-on  
 fu-mi-ga-ti-on  
 ge-ne-ra-ti-on  
 ha-bi-ta-ti-on  
 i-mi-ta-ti-on  
 me-di-ta-ti-on  
 mo-de-ra-ri-on  
 na-vi-ga-ti-on  
 o-pe-ra-ti-on  
 re-no-va-ti-on  
 re-pe-ti-ti-on  
 re-pu-ta-ti-on  
 re-sc-lu-ti-on  
 re-ve-la-ti-on  
 re-vo-lu-ti-on  
 fa-lu-ta-ti-on  
 se-pa-ra-ti-on  
 to-le-ra-ti-on  
 va-ri-a-ti-on  
 ve-ne-ra-ti-on  
 ve-gi-ta-ti-on  
 vi-o-la-ti-on  
 vi-fi-ta-ti-on  
 a-bo-mi-na-ti-on

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ca-pi-tū-la-ti-on	i-ma-gi-na-ti-on
de-li-be-ra-ti-on	in-i-ti-a-ti-on
de-ge-ne-ra-ti-on	le-gi-ti-ma-ti-on
de-no-mi-na-ti-on	mo-di-fi-ca-ti-on
de-po-pu-la-ti-on	pa-ci-fi-ca-ti-on
di-la-pi-da-ti-on	pu-ri-fi-ca-ti-on
e-di-fi-ca-ti-on	ra-ti-fi-ca-ti-on
e-ja-cu-la-ti-on	re-ge-ne-ra-ti-on
e-va-cu-a-ti-on	re-ta-li-a-ti-on
e-va-po-ra-ti-on	so-li-ci-ta-ti-on
ex-a-mi-na-ti-on	be-a-ti-fi-ca-ti-on
ex-as-pe-ra-ti-on	na-tu-ra-li-za-ti-on
hu-mi-li-a-ti-on	re-ca-pi-tu-la-ti-on

When any Word endeth in *ti-on*, it is founded *shon* in one Vowel, as,

mo-ti-on	} is founded	mo-shon
po-ti-on		po-shon
do-na-ti-on		do-na-shon
e-di-ti-on		e-di-shon

Also Words ending in *fi-on*, are founded *shon*, as,

de-lu-sion	} is founded	de-lu-shon
de-ri-fi-on		de-rishon
di-vi-fi-on		di-vi-shon

Note, That the double Consonant *x*, coming between two Vowels, is joined to the former, and not to the latter, as, ex-ac-ti-on, ax-i-om, max-im, tax-es, aux-i-li-a-ry.



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## SECT. 2.

When two Consonants, that are Mutes, come together between two Vowels, the first is joined to the former, and the last to the latter Vowel, as in the Words following.

Ab-ba	ig-no-mi-ny	im-po-fi-ti-on
al-ly	Im-ma-nu-el	im-pu-ta-ti-on
al-so	in-ci-fi-on	in-fi-de-li-ty
ar-my	in-fu-fi-on	in-ge-nu-i-ty
en-vy	in-va-fi-on	oc-ca-fi-on-ed
on-ly	ob-la-ti-on	oc-cu-pa-ti-on
un-do	oc-ca-fi-on	op-po-fi-ti-on
ac-ti-on	oc-cu-pi-ed	or-di-na-ti-on
en-mi-ty	u-su-al-ly	ac-ce-le-ra-ti-on
oc-cu-py	ab-so-lu-ti-on	ac-cu-mu-la-ti-on
un-ru-ly	ac-cu-sa-ti-on	an-ni-hi-la-ti-on
ac-ti-vi-ty	ad-mi-ra-ti-on	ar-ti-fi-ci-al-ly
ad-di-ti-on	ad-mo-ni-ti-on	af-so-ci-a-ti-on
af-fi-ni-ty	af-fa-bi-li-ty	be-ne-fi-ci-al-ly
al-le-go-ry	al-le-ga-ti-on	ex-te-nu-a-ti-on
am-bi-ti-on	am-bi-gu-i-ty	im-ma-cu-la-ti-on
ef-fi-ca-cy	an-no-ta-ti-on	im-mu-ta-bi-li-ty
ef-fu-fi-on	ap-pa-ri-ti-on	in-fe-ri-o-ri-ty
ef-fi-gi-es	ar-ti-fi-ci-al	in-se-pa-ra-ti-on
ex-ac-ti-on	af-fi-du-i-ty	ir-re-gu-la-ri-ty
ex-te-ri-or	ex-po-fi-ti-on	

## C H A P. III. Sect. I.

*There are six Kinds of Syllables of three Letters.*

The first Kind of Syllables of three Letters, is a Vowel between two Consonants, which may be practically learned by the Help of the two former Tables in this wise ;

ba	}	ad	bad	}	ca	}	ap	cap
ga			gad		ha			hap
ha			had		la			lap
la			lad		ma			map
ma			mad		pa			pap
pa	}	ag	pad	}	fa	}	ar	sap
fa			fad		ba			bar
ba			bag		fa			far
na			nag		ra			tar
ra			rag		wa			war
wa	}	am	wag	}	ha	}	as	has
ha			ham		wa			was
ma			mam		ba			bat
ra			ram		ca			cat
fa			fan		fa			fat
ma	}	an	man	}	ha	}	at	hat
pa			pan		ma			mat
ra			ran		ra			rat
ra			tan		sa			fat
					wa			ax

# Syllables of three Letters.

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we	eb	web
be	} eg	{ beg
le		
he	} em	{ hem
we		
me	} en	{ men
pe		
te	} et	{ ten
se		
we	} ex	{ wet
ve		
ri	ib	rib
hi	} id	{ hid
ki		
li	} im	{ lid
hi		
pi	} in	{ pin
fi		
ri	} ip	{ tin
li		
fi	ir	fir
fi	ir	fir

fi	} it	{ fit
pi		
fi	} ix	{ fix
fi		
mi	} ix	{ mix
fi		
go	} od	{ god
ro		
fo	} op	{ fod
lo		
mo	} or	{ mop
fo		
to	} or	{ top
fo		
no	} ot	{ nor
go		
ho	} ot	{ hot
jo		
lo	} ox	{ lor
po		
fo	} ox	{ for
bo		
fo	} ox	{ fox
po		

tub	sup	me-tal	or-gan	a-ged
mug	cut	mo-ral	ro-man	go-red
rug	gut	o-val	sa-tan	ha-ted
tug	nut	ru-ral	wo-man	mu-led
gun	put	to-tal	a-far	na-ked
run	Se-lah	vo-cal	al-tar	na-med
fun	be-fal	ma-dam	ce-dar	no-ted
run	ca-bal	be-gan	vi-car	ta-med
cup	co-ral	di-van	be-gat	ti-led
				ur-ged

ur-ged	e-ver	be-ryl	ma-son
yo-ked	fe-ver	ca-vil	ab-hor
an-gel	in-fer	ci-vil	ra-for
be-fel	le-per	de-vil	tu-tor
ca-mel	ma-ker	e-vil	ab-bot
ex-cei	ne-ver	vi-gil	in-got
ex-pel	or-der	un-til	pi-lor
ha-sel	o-ver	be-gin	wo-ful
le-vel	pa-per	ca-bin	be-gun
li-bel	re-fer	sa-tyr	de-mur
mo-del	ri-der	an-nis	Je-sus
na-vel	ri-ver	fa-ces	dal-ly
re-bel	ro-ver	a-ges	gal-ly
do-sen	ru-ler	wa-ges	ral-ly
gi-ven	se-ver	pa-ges	sal-ly
ha-ven	so-ber	ra-ges	pal-sy
la-den	ta-per	ga-zes	tal-ly
of-ren	vi-ler	ad-mit	fan-cy
o-ven	vi-per	cu-bit	man-gy
ri-sen	up-per	ha-bit	man-na
se-ven	ut-ter	li-mit	fan-dy
to-ken	wa-fer	re-mit	tan-sy
wo-men	wa-ter	vi-sit	hap-py
wo-ven	wa-ver	vo-mit	bar-ly
ad-der	wi-der	sy-nod	car-ry
af-ter	wi-ser	ex-tol	mar-ry
al-ter	be get	i-dol	par-ly
am-ber	be-set	be-som	par-ty
an-ger	ci-ver	bo-som	tar-ry
ba-ker	co-met	ve-nom	jel-ly
ba-ler	co-ver	a-non	bel-ly
ci-der	ra-pid	ba-con	ber-ry
de-fer	sa-pid	ba-son	fer-ry
de-ter	so-lid	ca-pon	mer-ry
di-ver	do-cil	i-ron	mer-cy
el-der	an-vil	le-mon	fil-ly

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win-dy	jol-ly	po-fed	lus-ty
wit-ty	for-ry	rud-dy	rus-ty
lof-ty	hot-ly	bux-om	mus-ty
fol-ly			

bab-ler	com-mon	gut-ter	nap-kin
ban-ner	com-pel	hap-pen	num-ber
bar-ber	cop-per	har-der	par-don
bar-ren	cor-ban	har-lot	pas-tor
bar-rel	cor-net	hol-pen	pen-cil
bas-ket	cum-min	hun-ter	per-mit
bat-rel	cur-fed	hys-fop	per-son
beg-ged	cus-tom	ker-nel	pil-lar
beg-ger	cym-bal	kil-led	pil-low
bet-ter	dam-ned	kis-fed	pol-led
bib-ber	dan-ced	lad-der	pon-der
bid-den	dan-ger	lan-ces	Pop-lar
bit-ter	dar-ken	let-ter	por-ter
bos-ses	doc-tor	lin-ger	pul-pit
bot-tom	fat-ted	lin-nen	puf-fed
buc-ket	fen-ced	lit-ter	rag-ged
buf-fet	fin-ger	man-ner	ran-som
bur-den	fod-der	mar-kes	rec-kon
but-ler	for-bid	mar-vel	ren-der
but-ter	for-ces	mas-ter	rob-ber
cal-led	for-ged	mem-ber	rol-led
car-nal	for-ger	mil-ler	fel-ler
car-ved	ful-fil	mol-ten	fen-ses
cel-lar	gar-den	mor-sel	fer-ter
cen-ser	gar-ner	mor-tal	fil-ver
cof-fer	gob-let	mur-der	for-ted
cof-fin	gol-den	mur-mur	sub-til
col-lar	gof-pel	mus-ter	fuf-fer
com-mit	got-ten	mut-ter	tal-ler



ran-ner	til-led	vir-gin	win-ned
rat-ler	tim-ber	wal-let	win-ter
rel-ler	tof-fed	wan-der	won-der
tem-per	tur-ner	wanton	yel-led
pen-der	ves-sel	wil-ful	yon-der

ab-a-sed	con-dem-ned	i-ma-ges
a-ba-ted	con-su-med	im-mor-tal
ab-hor-ed	cor-rec-ted	im-po-sed
ac-cu-ser	cor-rup-ted	im-pu-ted
ad-vi-sed	cus-to-dy	in-fi-del
ad-ju-red	da-mo-sel	in-ha-bit
ad-mit-ted	dar-ken-ed	in-he-rit
af-fec-ted	de-fi-led	in-va-ded
al-ter-ed	de-li-ver	in-vi-ted
a-ma-zed	dis-fer-ed	jus-ti-fy
ap-pa-rel	di-vi-ner	li-ber-ty
as-su-red	dul-ci-mer	ma-ri-ner
a-wa-ked	en-dan-ger	men-ti-on
bar-ter-ed	en-vi-ron	mer-ci-ful
be-fal-len	ex-ac-tor	mes-ser-ger
be-got-ren	ex-pel-led	mur-der-er
be-ne-fit	ex-pen-ces	mys-te-ry
ber-ter-ed	ex-pi-red	na-tu-ral
bir-ter-ly	ex-tol-led	no-vel-ty
can-ker-ed	fa-cul-ty	nur-se-ry
car-cas-ses	fer-til-ty	oc-cur-red
car-nal-ly	for-ger-ful	of-fen-ces
car-pen-ter	for-got-ten	of-fer-ed
cer-ti-fy	for-sa-ken	o-pen-ed
com-mit-ted	gar-de-ner	op-po-sed
com-mon-ly	gar-ri-son	o-ra-tor
com-pel-led	ge-ne-ral	or-der-ly
con-for-med	hos-ta-ges	o-ver-run

# Syllables of three Letters.

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par-ta-ker	re-mit-ted	tem-po-ral
pas-sen-ger	re-mo-ved	tes-ta-tor
pas-si-on	re-ti-red	tor-men-tor
per-su-med	rob-be-ry	ty-ran-ny
per-ju-red	rot-ten-ly	ve-ni-son
pi-ti-ful	sa-tis-fy	vic-to-ry
pos-ses-sor	se-du-cer	vil-la-ges
por-ti-on	se-ve-ral	vil-lan-ny
po-ver-ry	sig-ni-fy	vi-ne-gar
pub-li-can	sin-ful-ly	un-co-ver
re-bel-led	sin-gu-lar	un-god-ly
re-bu-ked	so-ber-ly	u-ten-sil
re-cor-der	for-ce-rer	ut-ter-ly
re-co-ver	sub-mit-ted	wan-der-ed
re-gis-ter	sub-til-ty	won-der-ful
re-nem-ber	sub-ver-ted	

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ac-com-pa-ny	cer-ti-fi-ed
ad-mi-nis-ter	cir-cum-ci-sed
ad-ven-tu-red	col-lec-ti-on
ad-ver-si-ty	com-mis-si-on
a-dul-te-ry	com-mu-ni-on
af-fec-ti-on	com-pa-ni-on
am-bas-sa-dor	con-fes-si-on
ap-pa-rel-led	con-su-si-on
ar-ro-gan-cy	con-si-der-ed
as-su-red-ly	con-ti-nen-cy
bar-ba-ri-an	con-ti-nu-al
be-ne-fac-tor	cor-rec-ti-on
cap-ti-vi-ty	cor-rup-ti-on
car-na-li-ty	dam-na-ti-on
ca-ter-pil-lar	de-di-ca-ted
ce-les-ti-al	de-li-ver-ed
cen-tu-ri-on	dis-se-ren-ces

dif-fi-cul-ty  
 dif-con-ten-ted  
 dif-or-der-ly  
 dif-pof-ſef-fed  
 dif-ſen-ti-on  
 ef-ſec-tu-al  
 c-lec-ti-on  
 en-dan-ger-ed  
 e-ter-nal-ly  
 ex-tor-ti-on  
 for-ni-ca-tor  
 ge-ne-ral-ly  
 ha-ber-gi-on  
 hal-le-lu-jah  
 hun-ger-bit-ten  
 in-cor-rup-ted  
 in-fir-mi-ty  
 in-no-cen-cy  
 in-ter-ceſ-for  
 in-ven-ti-on  
 li-be-ral-ly  
 le-vi-ti-cal  
 mag-ni-fi-ed  
 ma-le-fac-tor  
 ma-ni-ſef-ted  
 mer-ci-ful-ly  
 mol-li-fi-ed  
 mor-ta-li-ty  
 na-tu-ral-ly  
 ne-ceſſa-ry  
 nu-me-ri-cal  
 o-ver-ſe-er  
 or-di-nar-ces  
 par-ti-cu-lar  
 per-ſec-ti-on  
 per-pe-tu-al

per-ſe-cu-ted  
 pi-ti-ful-ly  
 pol-lu-ti-on  
 poſ-te-ri-ty  
 Poſ-ſef-fi-on  
 re-com-men-ded  
 re-con-ci-ler  
 re-co-ver-ed  
 re-miſ-fi-on  
 ſal-va-ti-on  
 ſe-ve-ral-ly  
 ſin-ce-ri-ty  
 ſo-lem-ni-ty  
 ſub-jec-ti-on  
 ſuſ-pi-ci-on  
 teſ-ti-mo-ny  
 ver-mi-li-on  
 vir-gi-ni-ty  
 un-ad-vi-ſed  
 un-co-ver-ed  
 un-de-fi-led  
 un-mar-ri-ed  
 un-mer-ci-ful  
 vo-lun-ta-ry  
 wel-be-lo-ved  
 won-der-ful-ly  
 ac-cep-ta-ti-on  
 ac-com-pa-ni-ed  
 a-li-e-na-ted  
 al-le-go-ri-cal  
 ap-pur-te-nan-ces  
 be-a-ti-fi-cal  
 be-ne-dic-ti-on  
 cir-cum-ci-fi-on  
 con-fe-de-ra-cy  
 con-fir-ma-ti-on

# Syllables of three Letters.

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con-fis-ca-ti-on  
con-sc-la-ti-on  
con-ten-ta-ti-on  
con-ver-sa-ti-on  
dis-pen-sa-ti-on  
dis-in-he-rit-ed  
ex-hor-ta-ti-on  
ex-pec-ta-ti-on  
ex-tor-ti-o-ner  
fer-men-ta-ti-on  
for-ni-ca-ti-on  
hof-pi-ra-li-ty  
il-lu-mi-na-ted  
im-mor-ta-li-ty  
im-por-tu-ni-ty  
in-cor-po-ra-ted  
in-for-ma-ti-on  
in-he-ri-tan-ces  
in-ter-ces-si-on  
in-ter-mis-si-on  
in-sur-rec-ti-on  
ju-ris-dic-ti-on  
la-men-ta-ti-on  
non-con-for-mi-ty  
ob-ser-va-ti-on  
om-ni-po-ten-cy  
op-por-tu-ni-ty  
or-na-men-tal-ly  
par-ti-a-li-ty  
par-ti-cu-lar-ly  
per-mu-ta-ti-on  
per-pe-tu-al-ly  
per-se-cu-ti-on  
pes-ti-len-ti-al  
po-li-ti-cal-ly  
pub-li-ca-ti-on

re-col-lec-ti-on  
re-lax-a-ti-on  
re-sur-rec-ti-on  
re-ve-ren-ti-al  
sa-tis-fac-ti-on  
suf-fi-ci-en-cy  
sup-po-si-ta-ry  
tem-po-ra-li-ty  
ty-ran-ni-cal-ly  
un-ac-cus-tom-ed  
un-ad-vi-sed-ly  
un-cir-cum-ci-sed  
u-ni-for-mi-ty  
un-mer-ci-ful-ly  
un-ne-ces-sa-ry  
vo-lun-ta-ri-ly  
ac-com-mo-da-ti-on  
al-suf-fi-ci-en-cy  
cir-cum-vo-lu-ti-on  
co-es-sen-ti-al-ly  
de-ter-mi-na-ti-on  
dis-com-men-da-ti-on  
dis-si-mu-la-ti-on  
ex-com-mu-ni-ca-ted  
for-ti-fi-ca-ti-on  
in-sen-si-bi-li-ty  
in-suf-fi-ci-en-cy  
jus-ti-fi-ca-ti-on  
ma-ni-fes-ta-ti-on  
ma-the-ma-ti-ci-an  
per-pen-di-cu-lar-ly  
re-nun-ci-a-ti-on  
su-per-an-nu-a-ted  
u-ni-ver-sa-li-ty  
un-cir-cum-ci-fi-on  
su-per-an-nu-a-ti-on

## SECT. 2.

The second Kind of Syllables of three Letters, is a Consonant between two Vowels, the latter of which, is always e Mute, its Place is always either in Monosyllables, or in the End of Words, as in these Examples.

ac	ace	ab-use	vi-ti-ate
ag	age	cor-tage	an-nun-ci-ate
ak	ake	ex-ile	af-so-ci-ate
al	ale	mis-use	at-te-nu-ate
ap	ape	use-ful	col-le-gi-ate
ar	are	use-age	e-va-cu-ate
ax	axe	ge-nu-ine	ex-pa-ti-ate
er	ere	car-ri-age	ex-te-nu-ate
aw	ewe	he-rit-age	im-me-di-ate
ey	eye	mar-ri-age	in-i-ti-ate
ic	ice	mes-su-age	in-fa-ti-ate
ir	ire	ex-pi-ate	in-fi-nu-ate
on	one	fi-tu-ate	li-cen-ti-ate
or	ore	pal-li-ate	re-ta-li-ate
ow	owe	sa-ti-ate	
ox	oxe		
ur	ure		
us	use		



S E C T. 3.

The Third Kind of Syllables of three Letters, is a Diphthong before a Consonant, as in these Words.

aid	oif-ter	laf-ci-vi-ous
ail	pi-ous	li-ti-gi-ous
aim	cap-ti-ous	lux-u-ri-ous
awl	co-pi-ous	ma-li-ci-ous
ear	cu-ri-ous	me-lo-di-ous
eat	dan-ger-ous	out-ra-gi-ous
eel	du-bi-ous	per-fi-di-ous
oak	hi-de-ous	per-ni-ci-ous
oar	ob-vi-ous	tem-pestu-ous
oar	o-di-ous	vic-to-ri-ous
our	Sa-vi-our	vir-tu-ous-ly
our	se-ri-ous	vo-lup-tu-ous
owl	va-ri-ous	ux-o-ri-ous
own	vi-ti-ous	am-bi-gu-ous-ly
oil	vir-tu-ous	am-bi-ti-ous-ly
aim-ed	be-ha-vi-our	con-tu-ma-ci-ous
air-ed	cen-so-ri-ous	con-tu-me-li-ous
ear-ly	fu-ri-ous-ly	ef-fi-ca-ci-ous
eat-en	im-pe-tu-ous	har-mo-ni-ous-ly
ear-ed	in-con-gru-ous	la-bo-ri-ous-ly
oak-en	in-fe-ri-our	lux-u-ri-ous-ly
oat-en	in-ge-ni-ous	re-li-gi-ous-ly
own-er	ju-di-ci-ous	vex-a-ti-ous-ly
oil-ed	la-bo-ri-ous	vic-to-ri-ous-ly

SECT.

The fourth Variation of Syllables of three Letters, is a Consonant before a Diphthong, as here followeth.

Bay	lie	dai-ry	bow-ed
day	pie	hai-ry	bow-er
gay	rie	rai-ler	dow-ry
hay	tie	rai-fed	fow-ler
jay	doe	rai-fin	low-ly
lay	foe	rai-lor	sow-ed
may	goe	cau-ses	tow-el
nay	roe	cau-sey	tow-er
pay	toe	law-ful	vow-el
say	too	law-yer	joy-ful
way	you	day-ly	noi-fed
jaw	bow	jay-lor	noi-som
law	cow	bea-con	poi-son
paw	how	bea-ver	roy-al
raw	low	cea-fed	voy-age
saw	mow	dea-con	Qua-ker
sea	now	hea-ven	qua-ver
tea	row	lea-ven	qui-et
yea	sow	rea-dy	qui-ver
hee	tow	rea-son	ar-ray
mee	vow	rea-der	af-say
fee	boy	wea-ken	a-way
few	coy	wea-pon	de-cay
hew	joy	wea-ry	de-lay
pew	toy	zea-lor	es-say
few	due	nee-dy	re-pay
yew	hue	fei-zed	bar-ley
key	due	few-el	bur-ley
die	sue	hew-er	si-new
hie	buy	soa-ked	con-vey

# Syllables of three Letters.

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co-nēy	win-now	jus-ti-fie
ho-ney	yel-low	law-ful-ly
kid-ney	a-noy	law-gi-ver
mo-ney	en-joy	o-ver-see
mon-key	a-gue	pow-er-ful
o-bey	sub-due	qua-li-fie
Tur-key	ar-gue	qua-li-tie
val-ley	is-sue	qui-et-ed
bu-sie	en-sue	qui-et-ly
de-fie	vir-rue	rea-son-ed
ea-fie	per-due	re-lea-fed
ru-bie	pur-sue	re-lie-ved
be-low	res-cue	re-fi-due
bel-low	va-lue	roy-al-ty
bil-low	buy-er	sa-tis-fie
bor-row	al-low-ed	sa-tur-day
cuc-kow	al-rea-dy	sa-vou-ry
en-dow	a-ve-nue	sig-ni-fie
fel-low	be-lie-ved	ter-ri-fie
fol-low	bel-low-ed	tes-ti-fie
fur-row	be-rea-ved	un-law-ful
hal-low	be-sie-ged	wea-ri-som
mar-row	bor-row-er	an-ti-qui-ty
mea-dow	cer-ti-fie	a-pos-ta-cie
mel-low	de-lay-ed	e-qua-li-ty
nar-row	dis-gui-sed	e-qua-li-zed
pil-low	e-di-fie	qua-li-fi-ed
wal-low	ex-ta-fie	qua-ter-ni-on
wil-low	jea-lou-sie	un-sa-vou-ry
wi-dow	joy-ful-ly	cou-ra-gi-ous-ly
wi-n-dow	ju-bi-lee	qua-li-fi-ca-ti-on

## S E C T. 5.

The fifth kind of Syllables of three Letters, is two Consonants before a Vowel: The latter of which, is generally a Liquid, as in the following Table:

bla	ble	bli	blo	blu	bly
cla	cle	cli	clo	clu	cly
fla	fle	fli	flo	flu	fly
gla	gle	gli	glo	glu	gly
pla	ple	pli	plo	plu	ply
sla	sle	sli	slo	slu	sly

The Liquid *l*, follows every Mute but *d*, *k*, *t*, *w*.

gna	gne	gni	gno	gnu	gny
kna	kne	khi	kno	knu	kny
ina	sne	sni	sno	suu	sny

No Mutes But *g*, *k*, *f*, goes before the Liquid *n*.

*W* is a Liquid after *d*, *f*, *t*.

dwa	dwe	dwi	dwo
swa	swe	swi	swo
twa	twe	twi	two

*S* will go before *c*, *k*, *f*, *t*.

sca	ske	ski	sco	scu	sky
sfa	sfe	sfi	sfo	sfu	sfy
sfa	sfe	sfi	sfo	sfu	sfy

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bra	bre	bri	bro	bru	bry
cra	cre	cri	cro	cru	cry
dra	dre	dri	dro	dru	dry
fra	fre	fri	fro	fru	fry
gra	gre	gri	gro	gru	gry
pra	pre	pri	pro	pru	pry
tra	tre	tri	tro	tru	try
wra	wre	wri	wro	wru	wry

*The Liquid r, follows every Mute but k.*

*fma | fme | fmi | fmo | fmu | fmy*

*No Mute but f goes before the Liquid m.*

*H may be taken as a Liquid after c, p, r, s, t, w.*

cha	che	chi	cho	chu	chy
pha	phe	phi	pho	phu	phy
rha	rhe	rhi	rho	rhu	rhy
sha	she	shi	sho	shu	shy
tha	the	thi	tho	thu	thy
wha	whē	whi	who	whu	why



cry	cle-ver	glu-ed	flo-ped
dry	cli-ver	gra-zed	flo-ven
fly	clo-ked	gra-ved	flu-ces
fry	clo-fed	gra-ter	spo-ken
ply	clo-set	gra-vel	sto-ny
pry	clo-ser	gri-med	tra-vel
thy	clo-ven	gri-ped	tra-ced
sky	cra-ved	gro-cer	tra-der
fly	cra-sie	gro-ped	tre-pan
spy	cre-ate	gro-ned	tri-ver
sty	cre-dit	gru-el	ap-ply-ed
the	cri-er	pla-ces	bre-vi-ate
tho	cro-ny	pla-ced	bre-vi-ty
thy	cru-der	pla-net	cla-ri-fie
try	cru-el	pla-ted	con-tra-ry
who	cru-et	pli-ed	cre-a-red
why	dra-gon	plo-ver	cri-ti-cal
wry	dra-per	plu-ral	de-pri-ved
an-gry	dri-ed	pra-ter	de-cla-red
ap-ply	dri-ven	pre-fer	en-gra-ver
a-wry	dri-vel	pri-ces	ex-clu-ded
fil-thy	dro-ver	pri-mar	glo-ri-ous
hun-gry	fla-gon	pri-fed	gra-vi-ty
re-ply	flo-rid	pri-son	ho-ne-fty
vel-try	flo-ted	pri-ver	hus-ban-dry
wor-thy	flu-id	pro-fit	le-che-ry
bla-med	fra-med	pro-per	mul-ti-ply
bla-zed	fri-day	tha-ven	Pha-ri-see
bra-ces	fri-ed	tha-ken	pre-pa-red
bra-get	fro-zen	the-ke	pre-ser-ver
bra-fil	fro-thy	tho-vel	pri-so-ner
bra-sen	gla-ver	tha-ved	pri-vi-ly
bri-ar	gla-zed	tha-ted	pro-cre-ate
bri-ber	gli-ded	thi-ced	pro-di-gal
bro-ken	glo-ry	thi-ded	pro-fit-ed
bro-ker	glo-ver	thi-ver	pre-mi-sed

# Syllables of three Letters.

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spu-ri-ous  
 un-wor-thy  
 as-tro-lo-ger  
 con-tro-ver-sie  
 en-ter-pri-zes  
 gra-ci-ous-ly  
 glo-ri-fi-ed  
 hy-po-the-sis  
 in-ter-pre-ter  
 Phy-si-ci-an  
 pro-ge-ni-tor  
 pro-por-ti-on  
 so-bri-e-ty  
 sim-plici-ty  
 spi-ri-tu-al  
 tra-di-ti-on  
 tri-bu-ta-ry  
 un-pre-pa-red  
 a-po-the-ca-ry  
 com-pre-hen-si-on  
 cen-se-cra-ti-on  
 con-spi-cu-ous-ly  
 de-cla-ra-ti-on  
 ex-em-pli-fi-ed  
 hy-po-cri-ti-cal

pre-pa-ra-ti-on  
 pre-sen-ta-ti-on  
 pre-ser-va-ti-on  
 pro-cla-ma-ti-on  
 pro-vi-den-ti-al  
 pro-vo-ca-ti-on  
 sup-pli-ca-ti-on  
 tri-bu-la-ti-on  
 un-pre-pa-red-ly  
 ab-bre-vi-a-ti-on  
 ex-tra-or-di-na-ry  
 ex-tra-ju-di-ci-al  
 glo-ri-fi-ca-ti-on  
 hy-po-cri-ti-cal-ly  
 im-pro-pri-a-ti-on  
 in-ter-pre-ta-ti-on  
 ma-the-ma-ti-ci-an  
 mis-in-for-ma-ti-on  
 mul-ti-plica-ti-on  
 phi-lo-so-phi-cal-ly  
 pro-pi-ri-a-ti-on  
 re-pre-sen-ta-ti-on  
 un-pre-de-sti-na-ted  
 mis-in-ter-pre-ta-ti-on

Adverbs in *bly* come under this Variation, as

dou-bly  
 fee-bly  
 gen-tly  
 hum-bly  
 au-di-bly  
 hor-ri-bly

no-ta-bly  
 pos-si-bly  
 ter-ri-bly  
 pro-ba-bly  
 vi-si-bly

un-sta-bly  
 cha-ri-ta-bly  
 mi-se-ra-bly  
 to-le-ra-bly  
 va-ri-a-bly

*Le* with a Consonant before it in the End of Words, hath a peculiar Sound, as appears in the Words following.

a-ble	myr-tle	du-ra-ble
an-gle	ner-tle	mi-ra-cle
an-kle	nim-ble	no-ta-ble
ap-ple	no-ble	o-ra-cle
bor-tle	nod-dle	pos-si-ble
bri-dle	peo-ple	pa-ra-ble
bub-ble	pim-ple	pro-ba-ble
bun-dle	pur-ple	sui-ta-ble
can-dle	rid-dle	ter-ri-ble
cas-tle	ri-ple	tri-an-gle
cat-tle	sad-dle	vi-si-ble
cir-cle	sam-ple	ven-di-ble
coe-kle	set-tle	un-sta-ble
cou-ple	sim-ple	ac-cep-ta-ble
dou-ble	sin-gle	cha-ri-ta-ble
ea-gle	sta-ble	de-lec-ta-ble
fee-ble	ta-ble	de-fi-ra-ble
fid-dle	tac-kle	hos-pi-ta-ble
gen-tle	tat-tle	im-mu-ra-ble
gir-dle	tic-kle	im-pla-ca-ble
han-dle	tem-ple	in-cre-di-ble
hum-ble	ti-tle	in-fal-li-ble
jan-gle	tit-tle	in-vi-si-ble
jus-tle	tre-ble	la-men-ta-ble
ket-tle	tri-ple	rea-son-a-ble
kin-dle	tur-tle	ta-ber-na-cle
la-dle	ar-ti-cle	so-le-ra-ble
lit-tle	can-ri-cle	com-pre-hen-si-ble
man-tle	con-sta-ble	que-sti-o-na-ble
med-dle	cu-ra-ble	un-pro-fi-ra-ble
mid-dle	dis-ci-ple	un-sea-son-a-ble

# Syllables of three Letters.

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Cre, gre and tre in the End of English Words,  
are sounded ker, ger and ter, as in these Words;

cre	lu-cre	mi-tre	mas-sa-cre
gre	mau-gre	ni-tre	salt-pe-tre
tre	me-tre	ac-cou-tre	the-a-tre

## SECT. 6.

The Sixth Kind of Syllables of three Letters;  
is a Vowel before two Consonants, the  
former of which, is commonly a Liquid,  
as appears in the following Table.

arb	erb	irb	orb	urb	ald	eld	ild	old	uld
ard	erd	ird	ord	urd	alf	elf	ilf	olf	ulf
arg	erg	irg	org	urg	alg	elg	ilg	olg	ulg
ark	erk	irk	ork	urk	alk	elk	ilk	olk	ulk
arm	erm	irm	orm	urm	alm	elm	ilm	olm	ulm
arn	ern	irn	orn	urn	aln	eln	iln	oln	uln
arp	erp	irp	orp	urp	alp	elp	ilp	olp	ulp
art	ert	irt	ort	urt	alt	elt	ilt	olt	ult

amb

*The sixth Kind of*

amb	emb	imb	omb	umb
amp	emp	imp	omp	ump
amn	emn	ymn		

and	end	ind	ond	und
ang	eng	ing	ong	ung
ank	enk	ink	onk	unk
ant	ent	int	ont	unt

Sometimes *f* supplies the Place of a Liquid  
as in these Terminations.

afh	efh	ifh	ofh	ufh
ask	esk	isk	osk	usk
asp	esp	isp	osp	usp
aft	eft	ift	oft	uft

Sometimes *h* is the latter Consonant, as in  
these Terminations.

ach	ech	ich	och	uch
ath	eth	igh	oth	ugh
		ith		uth

Some



Sometimes a Syllable will end in two single Mutes, as in *ebt, edg, odg, udg, eft, ift, ack, eck, ick, ock, uck, apt, ept, opt, ext, ixt.*

Lastly, A Syllable will end in a single Mute doubled, as in the Monosyllables following.

add	end-ed	fol-low-eth
all	irk-eth	hal-low-eth
and	ad-orn	mar-ri-eth
ant	be-ing	mut-ter-eth
apt	cli-ent	o-bey-eth
ark	dry-ing	of-fer-eth
arm	dy-eth	o-pen-eth
art	ex-alt	out-do-eth
ash	ex-ult	out-go-eth
ask	flu-ent	pur-su-eth
egg	gi-ant	qui-et-eth
elf	ly-ing	ran-som-eth
ell	nod-ing	re-scu-eth
elm	say-ing	re-vel-eth
end	tax-ing	tar-ri-eth
err	ty-ing	tor-ter-eth
ill	vex-ing	va-li-ant
imp	ar-gu-ing	va-lu-est
ink	bel-low-ing	wal-low-est
inn	buf-fer-ing	ex-pe-di-ent
odd	bu-ry-ing	glo-ri-fi-est
old	co-ver-ing	pa-ti-ent-ly
off	de-ny-ing	que-sti-on-est
oft	dis-fer-ing	qua-li-fi-est
urn	en-dow-eth	suf-fi-ci-ent
ash-es	en-joy-eth	re-sup-pli-est
ask-ed	en-su-eth	con-ve-ni-ent-ly
emp-ry		

To this Variation do belong all Nouns ending in one Consonant, being made Plural by adding thereunto the Letter *s*, as in the Words following:

bow-els	bar-ba-ri-ans
di-als	col-lec-ti-ons
li-ars	de-lu-si-ons
ri-ors	me-mo-ri-als
vi-ols	mu-si-ci-ans
ac-ti-ons	pol-lu-ti-ons
a-li-ens	tra-di-ti-ons
bu-ri-als	be-ne-dic-ti-ons
mo-ti-ons	ex-hor-ta-ti-ons
na-ti-ons	in-for-ma-ti-ons
e-fi-ers	ob-ser-va-ti-ons
pas-si-ons	per-se-cu-ti-ons
pi-ge-ons	re-col-lec-ti-ons
por-ti-ons	tes-ti-mo-ni-als
re-gi-ons	va-ri-a-ti-ons
vi-si-ons	vi-si-ta-ti-ons

**I** Believe in God the Father Almighty  
 Maker of Heaven and Earth: And in  
 Jesus Christ his only Son our Lord. Who  
 was conceived by the Holy Ghost, born of  
 the Virgin Mary. Suffered under Pontius  
*Pilate*. Was crucified, dead and buried.  
 He descended into Hell. The third Day he  
 rose again from the Dead, he ascended into  
 Heaven. And sitteth on the Right Hand  
 of God the Father Almighty; from thence  
 he shall come to judge the Quick and the  
 Dead. I believe in the Holy Ghost; the  
 holy Catholick Church; the Communion of  
 Saints; the forgiveness of Sins; the Resur-  
 rection of the Body, and the Life everlasting.  
*Amen.* *There*

# Syllables of four Letters.

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## C H A P. IV. Sect. I.

There are Eight Kinds of Syllables of four letters.

The first Kind of Syllables of four Letters, is a Vowel, having one Consonant before it, and one Consonant with a Mute after it; as,

be	lane	wave	nine	home	rove
de	mane	here	pine	mome	wove
ade	pane	mere	vine	some	huge
ade	vane	were	wine	bone	duke
ie	bare	lice	pipe	cone	mule
ke	care	mice	ripe	done	rule
ke	dare	nice	wipe	gone	eure
ke	fare	rice	fire	none	pure
ake	hare	tice	hire	tone	sure
ke	mare	hide	mire	cope	a-bate
ke	pare	ride	fire	hope	a-bide
ghy	rare	fide	tire	mope	a-bode
d in	tare	tide	bite	pope	a-bove
Who	ware	wide	kite	rope	ad-jure
rn o	date	life	mite	bore	a-fore
nti	fate	wife	five	gore	a-gate
ried	gate	like	give	more	a-like
ay he	hate	file	hive	nore	a-live
into	late	pile	live	fore	al-lure
Hand	mate	tile	robe	tore	a-lone
ence	pate	vile	rode	wore	al-lude
d the	rate	lime	yoke	dote	a-pace
the	sate	time	dole	mote	a-rose
n of	cave	dine	hole	rote	a-side
esur-	gave	fine	mole	vote	af-sure
ing	have	kind	pole	dove	at-tire
here	rave	line	sole	love	a-wake
the	save	mine	come	move	

a-woke	ma-lice	care-ful-ly
be-came	ma-rine	cir-cum-cise
be-come	mea-sure	de-so-late
be-fore	mid-wife	de-spe-rate
be-have	na-tive	en-cou-rage
be-side	na-ture	en-da-mage
be-take	no-tice	e-pi-cure
be-ware	o-live	e-sti-mate
cap-tive	our-side	e-ver-more
cen-sure	per-fume	ex-a-mine
come-ly	pol-lute	fa-vou-rite
com-mune	pre-pare	fur-ni-ture
con-sume	pre-sume	hate-ful-ly
de-bate	pri-vate	here-af-ter
de-fame	pro-cure	here-to-fore
de-file	pro-mote	im-a-gine
de-pute	pro-vide	in-fi-nite
de-ride	re-buke	me-di-cine
de-sire	re-fine	me-di-tate
de-vote	re-move	mo-de-rate
di-vide	re-tire	move-a-ble
divine	re-vile	mul-ti-tude
duke-dom	re-vive	of-fen-sive
em-pire	safe-ty	o-ver-come
en-dure	sa-lute	o-ver-take
fa-mine	se-duce	o-ver-wise
fi-gure	fin-cere	re-con-cile
for-bare	til-lage	re-pro-bate
fore-run	tri-bute	se-cure-ly
for-give	ven-ture	ser-vi-tude
for-sake	u-nite	un-come-ly
ges-ture	un-wise	un-der-take
im-pute	vo-lume	a-bo-mi-nate
in-vite	war-fare	ab-or-tive-ly
lec-ture	wel-fare	be-a-ri-tude
le-vite	ab-or-tive	de-bi-li-tate

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Most of these Examples are either Nouns or Verbs, which, having *s* added to them to make the Nouns plural, and to change the Verbs into the third Person Singular; the *s* is said to be Mute, not making a Syllable, as in these Words:

babes	bakes	cakes	caves	gates	gives
bones	bores	comes	dines	cotes	lives

But all such Nouns or Verbs that have *s* before the *e* Mute, or any Letter that sounds like *s* (as *c, g, z, x,*) having *s* adjoined to them, do increase their Syllables for good Sound sake; as,

face	fa-ces	a-buse	a-bu-ses
lace	la-ces	ac-cuse	ac-cu-ses
mace	ma-ces	ad-vice	ad-vi-ces
pace	pa-ces	ad-vise	ad-vi-ses
race	ra-ces	a-maze	a-ma-zes
cage	ca-ges	a-rise	a-ri-ses
rage	ra-ges	bap-tize	bap-ti-zes
sage	sa-ger	bon-dage	bon-da-ges
base	ba-ser	car-case	car-ca-ses
case	ca-ses	co'-lege	col-le-ges
rate	ra-ses	cou-rage	cou-ra-ges
gaze	ga-zes	da-mage	da-ma-ges
rise	ri-ses	de-pose	de-po-ses
wise	wi-ser	de-vice	de-vi-ces
lose	lo-ses	en-tice	en-ti-ces
nose	no-ses	fur-nace	fur-na-ces
rose	ro-ses	i-mage	i-ma-ges
muse	mu-ses	jus-tice	jus-ti-ces
size	si-zes	mes-sage	mes-sa-ges
a-base	a-ba-ses	no-vice	no-vi-ces



## S E C T. 2.

The second Kind of Syllables of four Letters, is a Diphthong between two Consonants, as in these Examples:

laid	dawn	near	been	roar	poop
maid	dead	pear	deep	coat	door
paid	head	rear	keep	goat	poof
said	mead	tear	peep	moat	boot
fail	lead	wear	weep	foes	foot
hail	read	year	deer	boil	root
mail	deaf	beat	peer	foil	foot
nail	leaf	fear	meer	toil	loud
pail	weak	hear	seer	void	foul
rail	deal	meat	bees	coin	foul
sail	heal	neat	lees	join	four
tail	meal	feet	feet	food	hour
vail	peal	deed	leet	good	pour
wail	leal	feed	meet	hood	tour
gain	real	heed	vein	mood	bowl
main	zeal	need	heir	wood	fowl
pain	beam	reed	lend	hoof	howl
rain	seam	seed	goad	roof	down
vain	team	weed	load	bock	lown
fair	lean	meek	loaf	cook	town
hair	mean	seek	coal	hook	pour
pair	wean	week	foal	lock	quilt
bait	yea	feel	goal	rook	quit
wait	heap	heel	foam	tock	suit
laud	reap	keel	loan	fool	a-foot
caul	bear	seem	moan	pool	a-gain
bawd	dear	teem	soap	tool	a-loaf
dawb	fear	keen	bear	room	a-loud
cawl	hear	seen	hoar	hoop	al-ways
					ar-peal

ap-peal	deal-est	lean-ing	fail-ers
ap-pear	dear-ly	lewd-ly	sa-vour
ar-mour	de-ceit	maim-ed	seal-eth
at-tain	deem-ed	main-ed	fear-est
a-void	de-feat	main-tain	seem-eth
ban-quet	de-tain	meek-ly	seem-ly
bare-foot	de-vour	mi-rour	six-teen
bear-ers	de-vout	moun-tain	suf-tain
beat-en	dis-dain	ob-rain	tear-ing
be-head	dis-join	or-dain	re-nour
be-lief	el-bows	pain-ful	vain-ly
be-moan	e-qual	par-lour	view-ing
be-wail	er-rour	peel-ed	up-roar
deaf-er	ex-ceed	per-tain	wail-ing
bil-lows	fail-eth	pl-a-gued	wait-eth
boil-ed	fa-mous	pre-vail	weak-ned
Bri-tain	faul-ty	pro-ceed	weal-thy
boun-ry	fa-vour	pour-ed	wean-est
bowl-eth	fool-ish	quar-rel	wear-ing
ceil-ed	fore-head	quar-ry	weep-est
cir-cuit	foun-tain	quar-ter	wood-en
cla-mour	gain-say	quit-red	ap-peal-ed
co-our	gal-lows	rail-ing	ap-pear-eth
con-ceal	good-ly	rain-eth	at-tain-ed
con-ceit	guil-ty	rain-bow	bar-ba-rous
con-duit	heal-ing	read-ing	be-head-ed
con-quer	heal-thy	rear-ed	be-moan-eth
con-tain	hear-ing	re-deem	be-wail-est
cool-ing	ho-nour	re-pair	cla-mour-ing
coun-sel	hor-rour	re-main	con-quer-ing
coun-cil	jea-lous	re-nown	con-ceal-ing
coun-try	in-join	re-tain	de-ceit-ful
cour-red	jour-ney	re-veal	de-tain-est
cur-tain	keep-ers	roar-ing	dis-dain-ful
dawn-ing	kid-neys	root-ed	en-coun-ter
dead-ly	la-bour	ru-mour	en-ter-tain

ex-ceed-ing	pain-ful-ly	suf-rain-ed
fa-mouſ-ly	pe-ri-lous	un-be-lief
fear-ful-ly	per-tain-eth	un-cer-rain
for-bear-eth	pha-ri-sees	un-seem-ly
for-feit-eth	quar-ter-ly	zeal-ouſ-ly
gain-ſay-ing	quar-ter-ing	ap-per-tain-ing
g-ver-nour	ra-ve-nous	boun-ti-ful-ly
guil-ti-ly	re-deem-er	co-ve-touſ-ly
hei-nouſ-ly	re-hearſal	coun-ter-feit-ed
in-fa-mous	re-main-der	coun-te-nan-ces
jour-ney-ing	re-pair-eth	fa-vour-a-ble
la-bour-ed	re-veal-eth	foun-da-ti-on
nu-me-rous	re-quit-ted	ge-ne-rouſ-ly
ob-tain-eth	ſuc-cour-er	le-ger-de-main
or-dain-eth	ſur-feit-eth	queſ-ti-on-ed

To this Variation of Syllables, belong Nouns Plurals, whose Singulurs end in *y*, such as theſe :

al-lies	li-ber-ties	ce-re-mo-nies
bo-dies	ex-ra-fies	diſ-fi-cul-ties
car-ries	fa-mi-lies	in-fir-mi-ties
ci-ties	gal-le-ries	na-ti-vi-ties
co-neys	he-re-fies	ne-ceſſa-ries
fol-lies	jea-lou-fies	ſo-lem-ni-ties
la-dies	le-ga-cies	ſo-ci-e-ties
na-vies	oc-cu-pies	con-fe-de-ra-cies
ru-bies	ra-ti-fies	cu-ri-oſi-ties
tar-ries	ve-ri-fies	ge-ne-a-lo-gies
de-pu-ties	vo-ra-ries	op-por-tu-ni-ties
e-ne-mies	con-tro-ver-fies	

Note, When the laſt Syllable of a Word is made by a Diphthong, e Mute is never joyn'd to that Word to prolong the Syllable (all Diphthongs being naturally long) except the Syllable end in *c, g, s, v, z*. See the ſeventh Kind of Syllables of five Letters.

SECT.

SECT. 3.

The Third Kind of Syllables of four Letters, consists of a Vowel having two Consonants before it, and one Consonant after it, as in these Examples:

brim	knit	stir	blan-ker	ga-ther
chin	knob	stop	blef-led	glad-ly
chip	knot	swan	blof-som	glut-ton
chop	plat	swim	bol-ster	graf-red
clap	plod	than	bram-ble	gris-tle
clip	plot	that	brit-tle	griz-led
clog	prop	then	bro-ther	ha-tred
crab	ship	thin	cham-ber	kin-dred
crib	shop	this	chan-ged	knit-ing
crop	shot	thus	char-act	mon-ster
drab	shut	trap	chap-man	mo-ther
drag	skin	trim	char-ged	nos-tril
dram	skip	trod	chas-tize	per-plex
dril	slap	twig	char-ter	pil-grim
drop	slip	twin	char-ter	plat-ter
flag	slut	what	char-act	pled-ges
flap	smut	when	clus-ter	pler-ty
flar	span	whim	craf-ty	prac-tice
flax	sped	whip	crim-son	prin-ces
flee	spin	whit	crud-dled	pro-phet
flip	spit	wrap	dan-dled	prof-per
fret	spot	wren	drop-sie	ra-ther
frog	spur	an-gred	dwel-ler	scan-dal
glad	stab	an-swer	fa-bles	scar-let
gnat	staff	a-pron	fa-ther	scat-ter
grim	stag	ar-cher	flat-ter	scep-ter
grin	stem	au-thor	flut-ter	scot-fer
grub	step	be-stir	fur-ther	scur-vy

se-cret	tref-pals	slip-pe-ry
sham-bles	trum-pet	stam-mer-er
shed-der	wheat-ed	thun-der-in
shel-ter	whol-ly	to-ge-ther
skil-ful	whim-pled	tref-pas-ses
stan-der	an-chor-ed	truf-ti-ly
sten-der	an-swer-ed	un-skil-ful
smel-led	ap-pren-tice	whis-per-ing
spec-kled	blas-phe-mer	wi-ther-ed
swad-dled	dis-trac-ted	wor-ship-eth
swal-low	ex-pres-sed	af-flic-ti-on
swel-led	flat-ter-est	an-swer-a-ble
swer-ved	ga-ther-ing	op-pres-si-on
ta-bret	glut-ton-ous	per-plex-i-ty
this-tles	scor-pi-on	plen-ti-ful-ly
thum-mim	se-cret-ly	prin-ci-pa-li-ties
thun-der	she'-ter-ing	sup-plan-ra-ti-on
tram-pled	stan-der-eth	fruc-ti-fi-ca-ti-ons
tric-kled		

To this Variation do belong the Preter Tenses of all Verbs, and the Plurals of all Nouns ending in *cre*, *tre*, or *le*, after the fifth Kind of Syllables of three Letters.

a-cres	kin-d'ed	tin-gles	con-sta-bles
bub-bles	man-gles	ti-tles	dis-ci-ples
car-dles	mum-bles	tre-bles	eat-a-bles
cir-cles	no-bles	tri-fles	in-tan-gles
coh-bles	nec-dles	whit-tled	ob-sta-cles
fa-bles	pic-kles	wran-gled	pa-ra-b'les
grap-ples	puc-kles	wres-tles	re-sem-bles
gir-dles	rab-bles	wrig-gled	spec-ta-cles
han-dles	rat-tles	wrin-kled	syl-la-bles
hob-bles	ri-fles	car-bun-cles	tri-an-gles
jan-gled	sham-bles		



## S E C T. 4.

The Fourth Kind of Syllables of four Letters, is a Vowel with a Consonant before it, and two after it, as followeth:

back	hard	lend	lift	cock	worm
lack	ward	mend	sift	lock	born
pack	harm	rend	high	mock	corn
rack	warm	send	nigh	rock	horn
tack	barn	tend	figh	loft	inorn
bald	warn	bent	sign	soft	torn
calf	yarn	rent	milk	bold	worn
half	carp	sent	filk	cold	bofs
talk	harp	vent	limb	foid	mosf
walk	warp	went	hymn	hold	tofs
ball	bafs	kept	bind	fold	coft
hall	mafs	pept	kind	told	hoft
tall	pafs	wept	mind	wolf	poft
wall	cast	herb	wind	folk	roft
palm	haft	herd	king	yolk	toft
halt	laft	term	ring	colt	buck
malt	maft	yern	ring	holt	duck
salt	paft	wert	wing	comb	luck
damp	waft	next	pink	tomb	muck
lamp	bath	vext	sink	womb	suck
band	bath	kick	tink	pomp	ruck
hand	path	nick	wink	long	much
land	debt	pick	sift	song	fuch
sand	neck	rick	mift	monk	buff
wand	peck	fick	pift	wont	cuff
bank	left	tick	wift	cord	muff
rank	self	rich	dirt	ford	puff
sank	help	deft	fixt	lord	ruff
want	bend	feft	mixt	word	gulf
					dumb

dumb	dung	burn	hurt	just	must
rump	fung	turn	hush	lust	rust
bung	sunk	hurl	dust		

back-bite	lord-ship	a-mong	col-lops
back-bone	migh-ty	a-part	com-fort
bald-ness	oint-ment	af-cent	com-mand
bind-eth	part-ners	ash-pans	com-mend
bold-ness	rash-ly	af-sent	com-pact
buck-lers	rush-est	af-sist	com-pass
burg-lers	salt-ness	af-sign	con-cern
burn-ed	sick-ness	at-tend	con-cord
bush-el	sigh-ing	back-ward	cor-demn
cart-rope	sing-ing	bad-ness	con-duct
cast-ing	tem-pest	ba-nish	con-fess
cost-ly	temp-ters	bap-tism	con-firm
curb-ing	walk-ed	bap-tist	con-sent
curl-ing	want-ing	bas-tard	con-sist
darkness	warn-eth	be-half	con-sult
dark-ness	wash-est	be-head	con-temn
dash-ed	wish-est	be-hold	con-tend
dirn-ing	at-ject	be-long	con-test
dish-es	ab-sent	be-yond	con-vent
fals-hood	ab-surd	bit-tern	con-vert
fish-ing	ac-cept	bra-kest	con-vict
frag-ment	ac-cord	bul-rush	co-ping
gold-en	ad-ding	bul-lock	cor-rect
hang-ing	af-fect	ca-bins	cor-rupt
hard-ness	af-firm	ca-mest	cur-rant
harm-less	af-tord	care-less	cut-test
help-eth	a-larm	case-ment	dar-ling
jest-ing	al-mond	chos-est	deb-ters
just-ly	a'-most	chur-lish	de-cent
kind-ness	a-lost	ce'-ars	dec-king
king-dom	a-mend	che-rish	defect
kiss-man	a-miss	cis-tern	de-fend

de-mand	gad-deſt	neg-lect	ſad-neſs
de-part	gal-lant	new-neſs	ſan-dals
de-pend	gar-land	nig-gard	ſa-ving
de-fart	good-neſs	nou-riſh	ſer-vant
de-fert	go-vern	nur-ſing	ſha-king
de-ſeſt	har-veſt	of-ſend	ſhe-riſſ
dim-neſs	hi-ding	out-caſt	ſi-lent
di-rect	him-ſelf	pale-neſs	ſto-mach
diſ-cern	hire-ling	pat-tern	ſub-ject
diſ-cord	ho-neſt	per-feſt	ſtub-born
diſ-miſs	houſ-hold	per-form	ſwel-ling
diſ-ſent	hus-band	per-haps	ta-lent
dul-neſs	i-dols	per-vert	tem-peſt
ear-neſt	in-ceſt	pra-ting	tor-ment
e-lect	in-fant	pre-cept	tol-ſing
en-camp	in-form	prevent	traſ-ſick
en-ſign	in-tent	pro-long	tu-mult
e-rect	in-vent	pro-teſt	ty-rant
er-rand	kic-king	pub-lick	vile-neſs
e-vent	kil-ling	pur-ging	vine-yard
ex-cept	kind-neſs	rai-ment	un-juſt
ex-ceſs	kins-folk	rea-ſons	un-kind
ex-pect	la-ment	re-cord	up-hold
ex-tend	lean-neſs	re-gard	up-ward
ex-tent	li-ving	rem-nant	ur-gent
ſa-deth	lod-ging	re-pent	u-ſurp
ſat-neſs	lo-ving	re-port	ut-moſt
ſer-vent	mad-neſs	re-ſign	wa-king
ſet-ters	man-kind	re-ſiſt	wed-ding
ſore-caſt	moc-kers	re-ſort	wil-ling
ſore-warn	mo-deſt	re-turn	wit-neſs
ſore-ward	mo-ment	re-volt	wiz-zard
ſrag-ment	mor-ning	re-ward	ze-nith
ſur-long	mu-ſick	ſab-bath	

ab-hor-ring	e-le-ment	mer-ri-ment
a-mend-ed	em-bold-en	na-ked-ness
as-sist-eth	emp-ti-ness	neg-li-gent
at-tend-est	en-camp-ing	nig-gard-ly
at-ri-ring	en-ri-ce-ment	noi-som-ness
a-ven-ging	es-pou-sals	nou-rish-ment
aug-ment-est	ex-cel-lent	ob-ser-ving
back-bi-ring	ex-hort-eth	nu-tri-ment
back-sli-ding	ex-cu-seth	op-po-sing
ba-nish-est	ex-or-cist	or-na-ment
bar-ren-ness	ex-pec-ting	out-ward-ly
be-hold-ing	ex-tend-est	per-fect-ly
be-long-eth	fer-vent-ly	per-plex-eth
bran-dish-ing	for-gi-ving	pur-po-sing
chal-len-ging	for-sa-king	ra-vish-ment
chas-ti-zing	frow-ardness	rea-di-ness
chur-lish-ness	fu-bish-ing	re-bel-ling
com-fort-eth	gar-nish-ed	re-cci-ving
come-li-ness	jest-ing-ly	re-com-mend
con-dem-neth	hum-ble-ness	re-cord-er
con-duc-ting	im-part-ing	re-for-meth
con-fel-sing	im-po-tent	re-fu-sing
con-fir-meth	im-pu-dent	re-gard-est
con-vert-est	in-no-cent	re-ort-eth
cor-rec-ting	in-tend-eth	re-volt-ing
cor-rup-ting	in-re-rest	ring-lead-ers
de-cent-ly	in-vent-eth	rot-ten-ness
de-fend-eth	in-ward-ly	ru-di-ment
de-mand-ing	kind-nesses	sa-cra-ment
dis-char-ge	la-ment-eth	sa-lu-ting
di-rect-ly	love-li-ness	sancti-fie
dis-cern-ing	low-li-ness	si-lent-ly
di-vor-cing	lurk-ing-ly	so-ber-ness
ear-nest-ly	ma-ni-fest	so-lemn-ly
ef-fec-eth	ma-ni-fold	sub-vert-eth
e-lec-ting	mea-suring	task-mas-ter

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ref-ta-ment	a-bo-lish-ed	e-van-ge-list
ten-der-ness	a-bun-dant-ly	e-ver-last-ing
va-ga-bond	af-fump-ti-on	ex-pe-ri-ment
ve-he-ment	bene-vo-lent	ex-tra-va-gant
vi-gi-lant	bur-den-som-ness	in-con-ti-nent
un-mind-ful	ce-le-bra-ting	in-dif-fe-rent
up-hold-eth	cir-cum-spec-teth	neg-li-gent-ly
u-surp-ers	con-fi-dent-ly	om-ni-po-tent
ut-ter-moſt	coh-tra-dic-ting	re-demp-ti-on
wicked-ness	dis-con-tent-ed	ſanc-tu-a-ry
wil-ling-ly		

These few Words having a Diphthong before two Consonants, may not be improperly here inserted.

ails	aunt	ears	eats	oaks	oars	owls
aims	earn	east	eels	oats	ours	oils

Every Noun or Verb that ends in *ch*, *ſh*, or *ſſ*, hath *es* added to make it Plural, or the third Person ſingular; as,

buſh	buſh-es	ruſh	ruſh-es
diſh	diſh-es	toſs	toſs-es
fiſh	fiſh-es	wiſh	wiſh-es
guſh	guſh-es	ac-ceſs	ac-ceſs-es
huſs	huſs-es	com-paſs	com-paſs-es
huſh	huſh-es	con-feſs	con-feſs-es
kiſh	kiſs-es	ble-miſh	ble-miſh-es
loſs	loſs-es	bul-ruſh	bul-ruſh-es
miſs	miſs-es	fi-niſh	fi-niſh-es
paſs	paſs-es	ſur-niſh	ſur-niſh-es
piſh	piſs-es		

When a Word ends in two Conſonants, e Mute is never put after it, except in ſome few Words mentioned in the ſixth Kind of Syllables of five Letters.

SECT.



# *The fifth Kind of* SECT. 5.

The fifth Kind of Syllables of four Letters, consists of two Consonants before a Diphthong ; as,

bray	grew	be-wray	plea-sant
clay	knew	de-gree	plea-sure
flay	shew	dis-play	plow-ing
fray	slew	em-ploy	pray-eth
gray	spew	es-chew	stea-dy
play	stew	He-brew	stew-ard
pray	drie	ne-phew	stee-ple
slay	prie	pour-tray	tray-tor
stay	skie	blou-dy	trea-cle
sway	trie	blue-ness	trea-sure
claw	shoo	braw-ler	trea-son
draw	thou	bree-ches	trea-rise
flaw	cloy	brui-sed	trou-bled
gnaw	blow	choi-cest	wrea-thed
thaw	crow	cloa-thed	ac-know-ledg
flea	flow	clou-dy	be-tray-ing
plea	grow	clou-ted	clou-di-ness
free	know	crea-ture	drou-fi-ly
knee	plow	cree-ple	flou-rish-eth
thee	flow	draw-er	em-broy-der
tree	snow	drew-est	em-ploy-ment
prey	trou	gree-dy	in-trea-ty
they	blue	grie-vous	im-ploy-eth
blew	true	know-ing	mis-chie-vous
crew	a-gree	know-ledg	spee-di-ly
drew	be-tray	plai-ster	em-broi-de-rer
slew			

*These few Syllables are compos'd of Triphthongs.*

buoy	view	beau-ty
lieu	a-dieu	beau-lah

## S E C T. 6.

The sixth Kind of Syllables of four Letters, is two Consonants between two Vowels, which Syllable is always in the End of Words; as in these following,

ache	a-ches	sci-ence	sci-en-ces
edge	ed-ges	ven-ge-ance	ven-ge-an-ces
esse		ac-qui-esce	ac-qui-es-ces
ille		al-low-ance	al-low-an-ces
once		con-sci-ence	con-sci-en-ces
urge	ur-ges	dif-fer-ence	dif-fer-en-ces

*Though 'tis said before, that no Word ending in two Consonants, has e Mute after it; yet there is a Necessity for this Exception. See the sixth Kind of Syllables of five Letters.*

## S E C T. 7.

The seventh Kind of Syllables of four Letters, is three Consonants before a Vowel; as,

scra-ped	stro-ked	de-scri-bed
spru-cer	thre-shed	scho-lar-tick
stra-dle	thri-vesth	se-pul-chre
stri-keth	chro-ni-cal	stra-ta-gem
stri-peth	chro-ni-cles	stre-nu-ous
stri-ving	chry-stal-line	

*Of these three Consonants, the one is always a Mute, another a Liquid, the third is always s or h, which in these Syllables are neither Mutes nor Liquids.*

## S E C T. 8.

The Eighth Kind of Syllables of four Letters, is a Vowel before three Consonants; as in these Words,

acts	ells	odds
alms	elms	do-ings
ants	errs	dry-ings
arch	etch	fry-ings
arms	ides	go-ings
arts	itch	

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To this Variation do belong the second Person of the Preter Tense ending in *edft*; as,

dy-edft	be-tray-edft
fly-edft	dis-play-edft
gnaw-edft	flou-rish-edft
know-edft	im-ploy-edft
pray-edft	pur-su-edft
pri-edft	re-scu-edft
shew-edft	va-lu-edft

*There are no more Kinds of Syllables of four Letters.*

C H A P. V. Sect. 1.

*There are Ten Kinds of Syllables of five Letters to be exemplified in Order.*

*First, A Vowel with two Consonants before it, and two Consonants after it; as in these Words,*

black	chant	thef	chest
brack	plant	dregs	crest
clack	scant	dwel	dress
crack	flant	shell	preft
knack	charm	finell	treft
flack	swarm	fpell	wrest
stack	sharp	fwel	brick
track	flafh	whelp	crick
wrack	crash	dwelt	prick
chaff	gnash	fpelt	stick
staff	flafh	fmelt	thick
craft	fwath	fwelt	trick
graft	trash	fpent	cliff
shaft	brash	fpent	stiff
shall	glash	trent	clift
stall	grash	crept	drift
stamp	scars	flept	thigh
stump	stars	ftept	child
brand	chart	fwep	imild
grand	smart	stern	chill
scand	starr	flesh	skill
stand	blast	fresh	spill
flang	chast	blefs	still
ftang	fwath	prefs	swill
twang	wrath	tres	trill
wrang	cleft	bleft	blind

grind	shirt	snor'd	trump
trind	skirt	sword	drunk
bring	frith	stor'd	stunk
cling	smith	cross	trunk
fling	block	drofs	clung
sling	flock	gross	stung
sting	frock	freft	wrung
swing	kneck	ghost	churl
thng	smock	breth	churm
wring	stock	cloth	blush
brink	stoln	froth	brush
chink	prong	floth	crush
drink	thong	worth	plush
stink	wrong	blots	crust
think	chopt	knots	truth
flint	cropt	plots	a-fresh
print	propt	spots	be-think
stint	stopt	snuff	be-troth
clipt	storm	stuff	b.-shops
slipt	scorn	skull	con-stant
tript	shorn	trull	cou-pling
whipt	sworn	plump	cum-breth
chirp	thorn	slump	di staf
flirt	stork	thump	di-stant

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en-tring	hun-dreds	re-pect
ex-prels	in-stant	rum-bling
far-thing	lin-greth	sack-cloth
fa-thoms	man-child	ship-wrack
fea-thers	mer-chant	slum-bring
fore-front	min-glest	some-thing
gold-smith	mis-tress	spar-king
hand-staff	re-fresh	sup-plant
hin-dreth	ren-dring	trem-bling



tric-ling	slack-ness	dis-sem-bleth
black-ness	snort-ing	house-hold-stuff
blast-ing	spend-edst	in-chant-ment
blind-ness	stand-eth	in-stant-ly
child-less	stand-ards	in-tan-gleth
churn-edst	sting-ings	o-ver-whelm
crack-ness	thank-ful	re-fresh-edst
crash-ings	thick-neth	sloth-ful-ness
crisp-edst	third-ly	trans-fer-red
drink-ing	trans-late	trans-form-eth
drunk-en	wrath-ful	trans-gres-seth
flesh-ed	wrest-ing	un-thank-ful
flesh-hook	wrong-ful	e-sta-blish-ed
grind-ing	wring-edst	trans-ac-tion
knock-edst	ac-com-plish	trans-por-ta-tion
prick-eth	de-scend-edst	trans-fi-gu-ra-tion
short-ly		

Monosyllables, and Syllables in the end of Words of the third Variation of Syllables of four Letters, having *s* subjoined to them, become Syllables of five Letters under this Head; as,

chips	stops	ar-thers	nos-trils
clods	swims	ga-thers	pil-grims
dregs	wraps	lord-ships	pro-phets
gnats	an-swers	mon-sters	se-crets
knits			

## S E C T. 2.

The second Kind of Syllables of five Letters, is a Vowel having two Consonants before it, and one Consonant with a Mute after it; as,

brace	share	trice	white	flore
grace	share	bride	write	smore
place	snare	chide	chive	stote
space	ipare	glide	drive	wrote
trace	stare	pride	flve	drove
blade	sware	slide	stive	glove
shade	crate	knife	chode	grove
spade	grate	smile	trode	prove
trade	plate	stile	stole	stove
brake	prate	while	whole	brute
drake	stare	crime	drone	stute
flake	stare	grime	prone	brace-let
shake	brave	prime	shone	bride-maid
snake	clave	stine	stone	shame-ful
spake	crave	thyme	grobe	spike-nard
stake	grave	brine	slope	stare-ly
scale	knave	chine	score	there-by
stale	shave	shine	shore	there-fore
whale	slave	swine	snore	there-in
flame	blaze	shine	store	there-of
fame	glaze	trine	swore	where-with
shame	graze	twine	where	whole-some
thame	glebe	whine	chose	ap prove
erane	glede	shite	close	au-tere
plane	bribe	snite	frose	com-phire
crape	price	snite	prose	con-clude
grope	slice	spite	those	con-tribute
teape	spice	trite	whose	de clare

dis-close	in-flame	en-ter-prize
dis-grace	man-drake	hy-po-crite
doc-trine	mil-stone	spite-ful-ness
en-grave	moi-sture	truce-brea-kers
en-snare	ob-scure	there-up-on
e-scape	per-swade	there-un-to
e-state	re-prove	where-with-al
ex-clude	re-store	un-blame-ful-ly
frus-trate	re-spite	where-so-e-ver
nail-stone	ce-le-brate	where-in-so-e-ver
im-brace		

These Words having *s* subjoin'd to them, become Syllables of six Letters, according to their seventh Variation, as *blades*, *brides*, &c.

Except those that end in *ce*, *ge*, *se*, *xe*, *ze*, which, having *s* added to them, increase their Syllables.

blaze	bla-zes	dis-close	dis-clo-ses
close	clo-ses	dis-grace	dis-gra-ces
grace	gra-ces	im-brace	im-bra-ces
spice	spi-ces	pur-chase	pur-cha-ses
stage	sta-ges		

## S E C T. 3.

The third Kind of Syllables of five Letters, is a Diphthong having two Consonants before it, and one Consonant after it; as in these Words,

fail	speak	creed	pries
frail	steak	freed	spies
snail	wreak	speed	tries
blain	steal	steed	choak
chain	wheal	cheek	cloak
drain	cream	creek	croak
grain	dream	Greek	smoak
plain	steam	kneel	groan
slain	theam	steel	broil
stain	clean	wheel	spoil
twain	glean	wreel	blood
swain	quean	green	brood
brawn	blear	steen	flood
drawn	chear	creep	stood
fraud	clear	sheep	brook
claws	shear	sleep	shook
flaws	shear	steep	spoon
gnaws	spear	sweep	swoon
thaws	stear	fleet	droop
bread	swear	greet	scrop
dread	bleat	sheet	stoop
knead	cheat	sweet	troop
plead	great	their	floor
stead	sweat	brief	shoot
tread	treat	chief	cloud
sheaf	wheat	grief	clout
break	bleed	thief	grout
freak	breed	flies	shout

snout	shew-bread	proud-ly
spout	un-clean	shear-ings
stout	wor-thies	sheep-fold
trout	as-sem-blies	shoot-ings
brown	hand-ker-chief	shoul-ders
crown	bleat-ing	sleep-edft
drown	brawl-ings	smoak-ed
flown	break-fast	speak-er
grown	breed-edft	spoil-est
known	broad-er	squab-ble
squat	broil-eth	steal-eth
squib	cheer-edft	stoop-edft
fruit	chief-est	stout-ness
squob	chief-ly	swear-eth
a-broad	choak-edft	sweet-ness
ab-stain	clean-sing	sworn-edft
a-fraid	clear-ness	train-edft
a-sleep	clout-ed	tread-ings
be-stead	crook-eth	blood-thirsty
bride-groom	crown-edft	cheer-ful-ness
com-pleat	drown-ed	com-plain-edft
ex-tream	glean-ings	de-fraud-eth
exploit	great-est	de-spair-ing
de-spair	greet-ings	dis-creet-ly
for-swear	groan-edft	en-treat-ed
im-plead	knead-ing	e-steem-ing
le-prou	kneel-edft	pro-claim-eth
pro-claim	plead-edft	un-fruit-ful
re-frain		



## S E C T. 4.

The fourth Kind of Syllables of five Letters, is a Diphthong with one Consonant before it, and two Consonants after it; as,

maids	beard	reign	booth	a-board
fails	heard	veins	tooth	a-bound
halls	fear'd	field	doubt	ac-count
nails	roar'd	wield	couch	af-fairs
pails	fear'd	yield	touch	an-guish
sails	fearn	board	vouch	a-noint
tails	learn	hoard	tough	ap-point
faint	bears	roar'd	dough	af-fault
paint	fears	soar'd	hough	be-neath
faint	pears	coals	rough	co-lours
tain	tears	foals	tough	com-pound
faith	wears	boast	could	con-ceits
saith	years	coast	found	con-found
bait	heart	toast	mould	ex-pound
waits	beast	loath	would	fre-quent
laugh	feast	moath	bound	grey-hound
fault	least	joint	found	he-rauld
daunt	death	moist	hound	pro-found
haunt	heath	goods	pound	re-count
taunt	deeds	foods	round	re-bound
dawbs	feeds	roods	sound	ru-mours
peach	heeds	woods	wound	safe-guard
reach	seeds	books	count	so-journ
teach	weeds	looks	mount	couch-ing
realm	leeks	rooks	gourd	couch-es
dealt	seeks	cools	mourn	count-ing
beams	weeks	fools	court	daugh-ters
seams	weigh	pools	mouth	doubt-ful
meant	feign	tools	south	doubt-est

faint-eth	moist-ned	vaunt-ing
faint-ness	mourn-ers	weigh-ing
faith-ful	naugh-ty	yield-edst
feast-ing	neigh-bours	young-est
goats-hairs	point-ed	youth-ful
guild-ed	quick-neth	ap-point-ment
haugh-ty	quick-sands	e-lo-quent
heark-ning	reach-ing	feign-ed-ly
hough-ed	seeth-ing	haugh-ti-ness
laugh-ing	sound-ness	lan-guish-ed
laugh-ter	south-ward	re-quest-ing
learn-ing	teach-eth	un-learn-ed
loath-ing	touch-ing	weigh-ti-er
loath-some		

S E C T. 5.

The fifth Variation of Syllables of five Letters, is a Vowel having one Consonant before it, and three Consonants after it; as in these Words,

backs	fight	canst	nurst
packs	belch	depth	purst
racks	welch	march	earth
facks	filch	parch	birth
didst	milch	works	mirth
midst	filth	corps	forth
fifth	combs	burnt	north
fight	tombs	first	worth
light	tempt	gorst	myrrh
might	tenth	burst	casts
night	ninth	curst	lasts
right	month	durst	maists

catch

*The fifth Kind of*

catch	car-ches	bitch	bitch-es
match	mar-ches	ditch	ditch-es
patch	pat-ches	witch	witch-es
watch	wat-ches	botch	botch-es
fetch	fer-ches		

burst-eth	witch-craft	en-signs
catch-edst	ab-jects	ja-cinth
earth-ly	a-mends	mid-night
first-born	a-right	se-venth
lanch-ed	cal-ledst	dis-tinct-ly
light-ning	cau-sedst	e-le-venth
march-edst	chan-gedst	be-witch-edst
month-ly	char-gedst	up-right-nels
parch-edst	de-light	burnt-of-fer-ing
parch-ments	dis-patch	

The Nouns belonging to the fourth Kind of Syllables of four Letters being made Plurals, and the Verbs being put in the third Person singular, by adding thereunto *s*, happen under this Variation ; as do also these Words following,

halls	is-lands	suck-lings
walls	in-fants	ta-vern
warrs	kins-folks	thou-sands
bells	lan-terns	ti-dings
wells	lo-custs	ros-sings
frag-ments	pa-rents	wiz-zards
gar-lands	pre-sents	in-chant-ments
gra-vings	ser-pents	in-no-cents
head-bands	ser-vants	or-na-ments

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## S E C T. 6.

The sixth Kind of Syllables of five Letters is an Exception from the fourth Variation of Syllables of four Letters, consisting of a Vowel with one Consonant before it, and two Consonants with e Mute after it; as in these Words following;

dance	grie-vance	con-fi-dence
dunce	hence-forth	di-vorce-ment
fence	of-fence	fur-the-rance
force	pre-sence	main-te-nance
hence	pre-tence	pest-ti-lence
lance	pro-vince	re-com-pence
mince	pru-dence	re-ve-rence
pence	rid-dance	sus-te-nance
since	sen-tence	tem-pe-rance
ab-sence	si-lence	vi-o-lence
a-merce	ab-sti-nence	cor-re-spon-dence
ba-lance	ab-un-dance	be-ne-vo-lence
con-vince	ac-quain-tance	in-tel-li-gence
de-fence	as-su-rance	

*In these, and such like Words, the e Mute is put to make the c sound like s, which otherwise sounds like k.*

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false	sense	dis-perse	per-verse
horse	verse	horse-leach	re-verse
nurse	worse	in-cense	per-verse-ness
purse	a-verse	li-cense	

No single Noun nor primitive Verb can end in a single s, but hath always e Mute after it, that its Plural may be formed by adding s only.

Moreover, *s* with a Liquid before it, hath not the force of a Consonant to produce the Sound of its Vowel, without *e* Mute added to it.

badge	bad-ges
forge	for-ges
hedge	hed-ges
judge	jud-ges
large	lar-gest
lodge	lod-geth
purge	pur-ges
ridge	rid-ges
wedge	wed-ges
a-venge	a-ven-gerth
en-large	en-lar-gedst
know-ledge	know-led-ges
large-nels	lar-ger
re-venge	re-ven-ging
sel-vedge	sel-ved-ges
ac-know-ledge	ac-know-led-ged

In these Words ending in *g*, the *e* Mute is absolutely necessary to soften the Sound of *g*, as appears in the three following Words.

The Bell *rang*.      The Forrester doth *range*.  
 The Bird doth *sing*.      The Fire doth *singe*.  
 Water doth *spring*.      In a Snare or *Springe*  
    Fowl are taken.

calve	dis-solve	} It appears that no Word will end in <i>v</i> , (tho' there be a Liquid before it) without an <i>e</i> Mute after it.
delve	ob-serve	
helve	pre-serve	
salve	re-solve	
serve		



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haste } To distinguish it from the Signs,  
 waste } haft, waft, past.  
 paste } Moreover, *f* before *t* hath not the  
 taste } Power of a Consonant to produce a Syllable.

tithe } *th* is originally but one Letter, and  
 sithe } therefore will have *e* Mute after it.

### S E C T. 7.

The seventh Variation of Syllables of five Letters, is an Exception from the second Variation of Syllables of four Letters, *e* Mute being added to the End of a Word after these Consonants, *c, g, f, v, z*, for the Reasons beforementioned, as in these Words.

cause	louse	souce	de-cause
cease	mouse	voice	per-ceive
gauge	noise	a-piece	re-ceive
geese	nooze	be-cause	re-joice
goose	peace	be-lieve	re-lease
house	rouse	be-siege	re-lieve
juice	fauce	con-ceive	un-loose
leave	siege		

guide }  
 guile } *In these Words, the u be-*  
 } *longs to g, to make it sound*  
 } *hard before i.*

quake }  
 quite } *Here also the u is an Ap-*  
 quore } *purtenance to q, which it al-*  
 } *ways follows ; so that the ua*  
 } *and ui are not properly Diph-*  
 } *thongs.*

## S E C T. 8.

From these Exceptions, arises the eighth Variation of Syllables of five Letters, ending in *gue*, or *que*; as,

rogue	ca-ta-logue	ob-lique
yogue	de-ca-logue	pub-lique
col-logue	di-a-logue	re-lique
ec-logue	e-pi-logue	traf-fique
pre-logue	syn-a-gogue	ca-tho-lique

*In these, and suchlike Words, the u hardens the Sound of g; and e Mute produces the Sound of the Syllable.*

## S E C T. 9.

The Ninth Kind of Syllables of five Letters, consists of three Consonants with either a Vowel and one Consonant after it, or with a Diphthong after it; as,

shred	strag-gle	threa-ten
split	stran-gers	Chris-ti-ans
spred	straw-ed	di-stres-sed
straw	strip-peth	e-stran-ge
three	struc-ture	in-struc-ted
threw	strug-gling	de-scrip-tion
throw	a-stray	de-struc-tion
scrip-ture	de-stroy	in-scrip-tion
strad-dle		

S E C T.

## SECT. 5.

The tenth Kind of Syllables of five Letters, is a Vowel between two Consonants, made long by the Mute *es*, as in the following Examples.

bakes	wades	pol-lutes
bones	wares	pre-pares
cotes	wiles	re-vives
cures	wines	san-dales
doves	wives	some-times
files	wires	ven-tures
lakes	yokes	u-nites
lives	arm-holes	vo-lumes
miles	be-fides	e-pi-cures
naves	be-times	es-ti-mates
robes	de-bates	fa-vou-rites
rules	en-gines	me-di-cines
saves	fi-gures	phi-lis-tines
sores	gen-riles	pome-gra-nates
tares	o-lives	po-ten-tates
vales	pas-tures	pro-se-lytes
vines	pic-tures	sy-ca-mores
votes	plea-sures	un-a-wares

Note, *es* is never a Syllable, but always Mute in the End of a Word, unless it follows *c, g, l, v, z, ch, sh, ff*.

## CHAP. VI. Sect. 1.

*There are Ten Kinds of Syllables of six Letters, exemplified in order, as here followeth.*

The first Kind of Syllables of six Letters, contains a Vowel, with two Consonants before, and three Consonants after it; as in the Words following.

blocks	ghosts	sticks	whelps
blanch	knight	stings	wretch
branch	knocks	stinks	wrongs
bright	psalms	storks	af-fright
bricks	scorch	thanks	a-thirst
chinks	skirts	thighs	brigh-ness
chips	snatch	thinks	church-es
church	sparks	thirst	crafts-man
churls	stacks	thongs	de-scends
cracks	stalks	thumbs	mer-chants
crumbs	stamps	trench	witch-crafts
crutch	stanch	trumps	af-fright-ed
drinks	stanks	truths	thank-gi-ving
flocks			

## S E C T. 2.

The second Variation changeth these two last Consonants into *es* Mute: See the Examples.

blades	knives	smites	stores	writes
brides	scales	spokes	tripes	ap-proves
craves	scapes	stakes	twines	de-clares
crimes	shaves	staves	whales	en-graves
grapes	slaves	stones	whores	e-stares

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frus-trates	per-swades	Also these,	
in-flames	re-proves		
mil-stones	re-stores	guides	be-guiles
		quakes	re-quires

### S E C T. 3.

The third Kind of Syllables of six Letters, consists of a Diphthong, having two Consonants before it, and as many after it; as in these Examples.

blains	priest	stairs	a-ground
breach	quails	stools	al-though
breast	sheard	sweats	ap-proach
breath	sheath	sweets	be-troth
broach	shield	sweep	de-frauds
chaunt	should	swoons	breach-es
cloath	smooth	theirs	cloath-ed
clouds	snails	though	friend-ship
clouts	speaks	treads	preach-ing
crouch	speech	troops	slaugh-ter
friend	spoil'd	trough	speech-les
ground	spoons	wheels	be-troth-ed
growth	spouts	wreath	in-croach-ment
plough	squint	ac-quaint	re-proach-ed
preach			

### S E C T. 4.

The fourth Kind of Syllables of six Letters, consists of a Diphthong, having one Consonant before it, and three Consonants after it, as here followeth.

beasts	caught	faults	health	houghs
boards	dearth	fought	hearth	launch
bought	doubts	gourds	height	mounts



mouths	saints	wounds	so-journs
naught	search	youths	health-ful
quench	fought	a-against	launch-ed
realms	taught	as-faults	quench-edst
reigns	wealth	be-fought	search-eth
rounds	weighs	re-quests	

Sometimes *e* Mute supplies the Place of the middle Consonant; as,

beeves	be-lieves	re-ceives
leaves	con-ceives	re-lieves

## S E C T. 5.

The fifth Kind of Syllables of six Letters, consists of a Vowel with one Consonant before it, and four Consonants after it; as in these Words,

births	bursts	pancht	at-tempts
depths	catcht	bendst	de-lights
eighth	dicht	foldst	ja-cynths
fighths	fetcht	holdst	in-ventst
length	marcht	lendst	mid-nights
months	matcht	markst	pro-longst
nights	patcht	talkst	out-matcht
tempts	warcht	turnst	in-fights
tenthst	harcht	wantst	be-witcht
warmth	lancht	winkst	

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*e* Mute may be taken as a Consonant after *lv, rv, th, st*, as in the following Words.

calves	solves	re-solves	hastes
delves	wolves	them-selves	pastes
helves	dis-solves		tastes
falves	ob-serves	sithes	wastes
serves	pre-serves	tithes	

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All Words of the Eighth Kind of Syllables of five Letters being made Plural, by adding *s*, may come under this Kind ; as,

ec-logues	risque	ob-liqués
pro-logues	ca-ra-logues	re-liqués
fa-tigues	di-a-logues	ca-tho-liqués
tongue	e-pi-logues	su-do-risques
cinque	syn-a-gogues	

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## S E C T. 6.

The sixth Variation of Syllables of six Letters, consists of a Vowel, having two Consonants before it, and two Consonants with *e* Mute after it ; as,

bridge	glance	scarce	whence
chance	grudge	sponge	dis-charge
change	pledge	sledge	ex-change
charge	plunge	swerve	in-trigue
drudge	prance	thence	mis-chance
France	prince	trance	thence-forth
fringe	quince	twelve	o-ver-charge

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## S E C T. 7.

The seventh Variation of Syllables of six Letters, consisting of a Diphthong, having two Consonants before it, and one Consonant with a Mute after it; as in these Words,

bruise	flowre	please	spouse
cheese	gleane	showre	de-crease
choice	grease	scoure	dis-please
choose	greece	sleeve	in-crease
cleave	grieve		

## S E C T. 8.

The eighth Kind of Syllables of six Letters consists of a Diphthong with one Consonant before it, and two Consonants with a Mute after it; as,

course	pounce	con-course	pre-nounce
fierce	seethe	de-nounce	re-nounce
horse	tierce	fierce-nels	re-course
pierce			

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## S E C T. 9.

The ninth Kind of Syllables of six Letters, consists of a Vowel with three Consonants before it, and two Consonants after it; as followeth.

Christ	spring	thresh	of-spring
schism	sprigs	throng	spring-ing
scall	sprung	thrums	thrust-ing
shrank	string	thrust	thresh-ing
shrubs	strong	thwack	con-struct-ed
shrunk	stript	thwart	in-struct-ed
sprang	struck		

Sometimes *e* Mute supplies the Place of the latter Consonant; as in these Words,

scrape	strife	strove	a-cribe
scribe	strike	thrice	de-cribe
spruce	stripe	thrive	de-throne
square	strive	throne	tran-cribe
stride	stroke		

## S E C T. 10.

The Tenth Variation consists of a Diphthong, having three Consonants before it, and one after it; as,

school	squeak	streer	skreen-ed
scroul	squeaz	stroak	squeak-ed
shroud	strain	con-strain	threat-nings
squeal	stream	re-strain	

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These few Words, being Syllables of seven Letters, are alphabetically placed!

breadth	schools	spreads	through
breathe	scourge	springe	tongues
brought	scratch	springs	troughs
cleane	screens	sprouts	twelfth
draught	scribes	squints	weights
drought	sheaves	stealth	wreathe
flowres	showres	strakes	wrought
friends	threads	strange	wouldst
knights	shrims	stretch	brought-est
leagues	shrines	stripes	de-scribes
priests	shrinks	thieves	e-strange
schemes	sleight	thought	out-stretch

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These Syllables have eight Letters in them!

breathes	strength	stretch'd	straight-ways
sleights	straight	wreathes	strength-nedst
shouldst	streight		in-treagues

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